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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: ENRG, PFOR, EG, IS, US
SUBJECT: AMERICAN INVOLVEMENT IN ISRAELI DRILLING IN GULF OF SUEZ

REFS: (A) CAIRO 2322; (B) FEIFER-DORRIS MEMCON

TO AVOID POSSIBLE EMBARRASSMENT TO THE EMBASSY AND TO
SAFEGUARD A USEFUL SOURCE, WE REQUEST THAT THE INFORMATION
REPORTED IN REF B NOT BE PASSED TO AMOCO. IN ANY EVENT,
NEPTUNE SEEMS TO BE WELL AWARE OF CONTROVERSIAL STATUS
OF THEIR OPERATION. WE ALSO NOTE THAT WASHINGTON POST
ARTICLE BY DIAL TORGERSON, PRINTED IN THE HEARLD TRIBUNE
AND THE JERUSALEM POST (JANUARY 31), REPORTED THAT QUOTE
IN HOUSTON A GROUP OF INDEPENDENT TEXAS OIL MEN FORMED A
COMPANY CALLED NEPTUNE ENGINEERING, AND NEPTUNE HIRED THE
MEN WHO ARE DOING THE LABOR ON SPRINGBOK (ISRAELI RIG IN
GULF OF SUEZ). END QUOTE. WE PRESUME THAT AMOCO HAS SEEN
THIS ARTICLE.
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